

Docket No. 292456US0

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: :

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FOR: CATALYST FOR PRODUCTION OF  
UNSATURATED ALDEHYDE AND UNSATURATED  
CARBOXYLIC ACID, METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME,  
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING UNSATURATED  
ALDEHYDE AND UNSATURATED CARBOXYLIC ACID

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 2, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

**Claims (unamended)** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins at page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin at page 3 of this paper.